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In re application of: Martiny Jr.

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TRANSMITTAL FOR REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

1. Transmitted herewith is a Request for Reconsideration for this Application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is
— a small entity. A verified statement:
— is attached.
— was already filed.
☒ other than a small entity.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/TRANSMISSION (37 C.F.R. 1.8a)

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EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply.

(complete (a) or (b), as applicable)

- (a) ___ Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
(Fees: 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:)

Extension (months)	Fee for other than <u>Small entity</u>	Fee for <u>small entity</u>
___ one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
___ two months	\$ 400.00	\$ 200.00
<u>✓</u> three months	\$ 920.00	\$ 460.00
___ four months	\$ 1,440.00	\$ 720.00

Fee: \$ 920.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefore.

(Check and complete the next item, if applicable)

___ An extension of _____ months has already been secured. The fee paid therefore of \$ _____ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$ 920.00

OR

- (b) ___ Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

(Col. 1)		(Col. 2)		(Col. 3)	SMALL ENTITY	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY	
CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDIT. FEE	OR	ADDIT. FEE
TOTAL	MINUS		0	x \$18.00=	\$		x =
INDEP.	MINUS			x =	\$		x = \$
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM				+ \$=			+ = -
				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE		OR	TOTAL ADDIT. FEE
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- (c) ☐ No additional fee for Claims is required.

OR

- (d) ☐ Total additional fee for claims required \$.

FEE PAYMENT

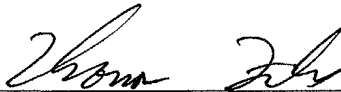
5. ☐ Attached is a check in the sum of \$_____

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384 the sum of \$920.00
A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

FEE DEFICIENCY

6. ☒ If any additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Deposit Account No. 01-2384.

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